



**State of Louisiana**  
**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**OFFICE OF MINERAL RESOURCES**  
**STATE MINERAL AND ENERGY BOARD**

TO: State Mineral and Energy Board Members

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**Lease Review Committee Agenda**

The regular meeting of the Lease Review Committee of the State Mineral and Energy Board is scheduled to be held on Wednesday, January 9, 2013 at 9:30 am in the La Belle Room, First Floor, LaSalle Building located at 617 North Third Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

**I. Geological and Engineering Staff Review**

According to SONRIS there are 1,890 active State Leases covering almost 842,200 acres. The Geological and Engineering Division has reviewed approximately 140 leases covering 50,000 acres.

**II. Committee Review**

1. A staff report on **State Lease 1217**, Bay De Chene Field. Jefferson and Lafourche Parishes. Swift Energy Operating, LLC is the lessee.
2. A staff report on **State Lease 173**, Caddo Pine Island Field, Caddo Parish. Rock Well Petroleum (U.S.), Inc.

**III. Report on Force Majeure**

Request by staff to extend recognition of force majeure condition until the July 10, 2013 Board meeting affecting Stone Energy's SLs 15074, 17309 and A0285, resulting from the Tennessee Gas pipeline leak that occurred January, 2011.

Request by Sylvan Energy to recognize force majeure condition affecting State Lease 1337 due to rig availability beginning December 25, 2012 until the February 13, 2013 Board meeting.

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Company Name	Lease Numbers
<b>Leases Off Production Due to Hurricane Isaac</b>	
Aviva America, Inc.	4407, 4458, 4865, 5049
Stone Energy Offshore, L.L.C.	14498, 15310, 15970, 16255, 16256, 16257, 18603
<b>Leases Off Production Due to Non-Storm Related Force Majeure Events</b>	
Apache Corporation	A0137, 12105
Black Elk Energy	14905
Chevron U. S. A., Inc.	19534, 19536, 19547
Energy Properties, Inc.	725
Hilcorp Energy I, L.P.	16100, 16293
Saratoga / The Harvest Group, LLC	A0311
Stone Energy Offshore, L.L.C.	15074, 17309, A0285
Sylvan Energy	1337

The Committee may discuss other matters as it desires pursuant to R.S. 42:7(A)(1)(b)(ii) as well as Executive Session matters pursuant to R.S. 42:6.1(A)(2) and R.S. 42:6.1(A)(6).